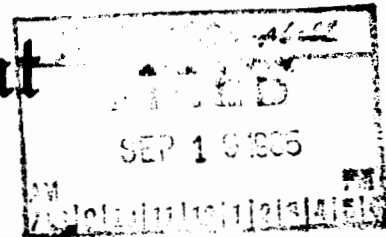


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WHEREAS, it appears to my satisfaction that J. Elbert Pope, suspended Sheriff of York County, has been found not guilty by direction of the Court on charges of Embezzlement of Public Funds and Misconduct in Office; and

WHEREAS, the remaining indictments for Assault or Intimidation on Account of Political Opinions or Exercise of Civil Rights have been nol prossed by the Attorney General; and

WHEREAS, there are no further charges or indictments pending against Sheriff Pope; and

WHEREAS, Sheriff Pope was suspended from office by Governor Richard W. Riley pursuant to Executive Order No. 85-20, issued on July 18, 1985; and

WHEREAS, Governor Riley is currently out of the State on an industry seeking mission.

NOW, THEREFORE, by virtue of the authority vested in me as Lieutenant Governor of this State by Article IV, §11 of the South Carolina Constitution, I hereby order that J. Elbert Pope

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be reinstated as Sheriff of York County and immediately resume the duties and responsibilities of that Office.

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND AND THE
GREAT SEAL OF THE STATE OF
SOUTH CAROLINA, THIS 19th
DAY OF SEPTEMBER, 1985.


MICHAEL R. DANIEL
Lieutenant Governor

ATTEST:


JOHN T. CAMPBELL
Secretary of State